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### PRICE LIST Read Carefully Before Ordering

This list supersedes all others and is good so long as my stock is not sold out.

References: Dunn's Commercial Agency and

Farmers' National Bank.

If you do not find what you want listed in this folder, ask me about it. I may have it or be able to

get it for you.

Guaranteed—I guarantee my stock to be alive and in good condition when it leaves my care. After that it is entirely out of my control and I do not stand responsible for either safe arrival or the growth of the crop. The Express Company is responsible for unusual delays or accidents to stock while in their care. Claims must be made upon receipt of goods. Should any stock prove to be unsatisfactory, notify me within 3 days after arrival at destination and I will try to satisfy you. I am just as much interested in your success as you are. It means more business for me.

Berry, Small Fruit and Flower Plants, also Shrubs and Trees under 3 feet, will be packed and delivered f. o. b. Topeka. All Trees and Shrubs 3 feet and over, if wanted shipped, add to list price 50 cents for orders of \$5 or under, and 25c for each

additional of \$5.00 or under for packing.

If stock is a little dry on arrival, wet it thoroughly

and bury it in moist soil until ready to plant.

Caution—Never wet the tops of Strawberry plants until ready to plant; it will cause damping off; wet lower part of roots only and heel in moist soil. Do not plant too deep; the crown must have air.

### EVERGREENS AND LANDSCAPE PLANTINGS A SPECIALTY

I have a very choice collection of evergreens and crnamental shrubs. Estimates and plans for plantings furnished free, if stock is bought from us or planted by us. We guarantee all stock planted by us in the fall to be alive and start growing in the spring following. Spring plantings to start growth and be alive on June 1st but no further guarantee unless we are employed to care for them.

Prices for Junipers (Cedars) and Arbor Vitae Orientalis range about \$1.00 per foot of height planted out with guarantee. Dwarf species of evergreens and select specimen trees at prices according to specimen selected. Special prices on large orders.

Fruit Trees and Berry Plants. Only a small number carried in stock but can get any amount you

want at a low price.

No. 1 Fruit Trees, 4 to 6 feet high, 50c. each; 10

for \$4.00; special prices per 100.

No. 1, Two year old Concord Grapes, 10 for \$1.00; \$6.00 per 100. Moore's Early and Niagara 15c.; 10 for \$1.25

Shade Trees-Ten Kinds, 8-10 feet and up. \$1.00

and up according to trees selected.

Lombardy Poplars, 8-10 feet, 75c.; 10-12 feet \$1.00;

12-14 feet \$1.25; 14-16 feet \$1.50.

Elms, 8-10 feet \$1.00; 10-12 feet \$1.50; 12-14 feet \$2.00.

Chinese Elms, 2½ feet 25c.; 5 for \$1.00; 5-6 feet \$1.00; 9 feet \$1.50; 10 feet \$2.00.

### DAHLIAS, FOR SPRING ONLY

Plant from April first to June. Cover four inches deep; keep soil loose. If the plant gets too bushy cut out part of the branches. Store in a cool moist cellar. On account of the high cost of competent help, and the length of time required to wait upon a customer, I cannot sell a dahlia tuber for less than 25c. unless you take several tubers. Five of the 25c. kinds for \$1.00, your selection. All dahlias listed are 25c. each unless otherwise priced. Any three, 50c. dahlias for \$1.00. Mixed colors, \$1.00 per dozen. These prices include postage if ordered by mail.

Jean Chazot (Gay Paree.)—H. C. Golden bronze with nasturtium red suffusion; a vigorous grower

and profuse bloomer. 50c.

Hortulanus Fiet—One of the loveliest Dahlias that ever came from Holland. The color is a creamy-salmon, shading to soft yellow. The flowers are large and the formation and stems are both excellent. Free flowering. 50c.

Kalif (Hybrid Cactus)—A truly majestic flower, frequently measuring over 9 inches in diameter, of perfect form; in color a pure scarlet. The habit of

the plant is all that can be desired. The gigantic flowers, which are produced very freely, are held erect on strong, stiff stems, making it a most effective and useful variety for cutting as well as for garden decoration. 50c.

Attraction (Hybrid Cactus.)—Large elegant flowers of a clear lilac rose; long, strong stems. It is an exhibition and garden sort of rare merit. 50c.

Rosa Nell—Mr. Broomall, whose introduction this is, described it as the greatest of all decorative dahlias. Large bright rose flowers of good shape, on fine strong stems. Fine for exhibition or cutting. 50c.

Wolfgang von Goethe-H. C. Large flowers on strong stems; rich apricot with carmine shadings.

Pride of California—New. Huge crimson red, shading darker to the center; very large blooms, carried on extra long, strong stems; awarded Gold Medal, San Francisco, 1918. 25c.

La Purity—A beautiful, pure white cactus. Tall,

free bloomer.

Maud Adams—New. Beautiful snow white, blushed delicate pink. 25c.

Mrs. Boen Tuft-Large purplish wine red.

Copper—Dec. A fine copper colored decorative. Etendard de Lyon—H. C. Rich carmine wavy petals; very good. Rose, almost purple, large full flowers. 50c.

F. W. Fellows—(Cactus.) This beautiful orange cactus is one of the best grown. Very large blooms, perfect form for exhibiting. Its color is most attractive. One of the best for cut flowers: 50c.

Mrs. I. De Ver Warner—One of Judge Marean's best creations. Large, beautiful rosy-mauve flowers of fine form and substance, on long, rigid, stems. One of the best for exhibition and for cutting. 50c.

Amun R2—New. A very large flower. Gorgeous shades of copper orange, gold and amber and deepening in the center to a rich dark reddish bronze. A Gold Medal Dahlia. Prize winner at many dahlia shows. 75c.

Jersey Beauty—New. Truly a beauty. Very large perfect blooms of a beautiful true pink color. Extra fine stems. A wonderfully fine dahlia for any

purpose. A great prize winner. Jersey Beauty has won more gold medals and first prizes at the leading dahlia shows than any other dahlia. 75c.

Mrs. Warnaar—H. C. A mammoth hybrid cactus, often 9 inches in diameter. Creamy white with just a tinge of pink. One of the finest of the new dahlias. 50c.

Judge Marean—D. C. A wonderful blending of yellow, gold and orange, suffused pink and edged red. 75c.

Kitty Dunlap—Dec. Pure cerise rose. A large fine flower 7 to 8 inches; a free bloomer on long cane, stiff stems. 75c.

Tom Lundy-Dec. A large bold flower, with good

form and stem. Velvety red. 50c.

A. D. Livoni-Show. Rich deep pink quilled petals, free bloomer.

Mina Burgle-Dec. Dark vivid red, extra large,

shows up beautifully for evening decorations.

Jean Charmett—Dec. Very large blooms, pink,

lilac, edged white; a splendid flower.

D. M. Moore—Large and free bloomer on dwarf plants. Color rich dark velevty maroon shaded black; fine form.

Dr. Tevis—Bronzy old gold, shaded and suffused violet rose. Fine exhibition flowers, borne on erect

stems.

Dreer's White—Show, very large, white quilled petals, the prettiest white in my collection. 25c.

Countess of Lonsdale-Yellow, suffused salmon

red, overlaid lavender.

Crystal—One of the very finest clear soft pink cactus. Flowers are of large size with long narrow incurved petals.

Delighted-Show, very large and beautiful snow

white with a slight shading of pink, 25c.

Gen. Roslie Jones—Truly a majestic flower of perfect Hybrid Cactus form; color a beautiful lemon yellow; fine cut flower variety. Received certificate of merit.

Mrs. Edna Spencer—An exceptionally fine variety for all purposes, large size, fine form and above all, a free bloomer, on long erect stems. Color silvery lilac, shading to bright orchid pink. Pierrot—Immense size with very long incurved petals; deep amber, distinctly tipped white, sometimes solid amber. A magnificent exhibition and garden variety.

### SHRUBS, HEDGES AND VINES

Privet, Armour River North—Very hardy, \$5.00 to \$8.00 per 100. Extra large 3 years old, \$12.00 per 100.

Barberry Thumbergi—2 to 3 years old, 15c to 50c. Spirea—Van Houtti (bridal wreath) 1 yr., 18 to 24 in., \$1.00 doz.; 2 years, 2 ft., 25c.; 4-5 ft.; 35c.; 5-6 ft., 50c.

Hydrangea Paniculata—50 to 40c. as to size. Snowball—3-4 ft., large 75c; smaller, 25 to 50c.

Spirea—Billardia Alba, 2 ft., 25c. Spirea Thumbergia—25c. to 75c.

Spirea Frobella—18 inch to 3 ft. clumps, 25c. to 75c.

Five other kinds of Spirea, 25c. to 50c. 2-4 ft.

### HARDY PERENNIALS

Over 30 different kinds, 1 year, 15c. to 25c. Delphinium, Shasta Daisies, Columbine, Mallows, Platycodon, Phlox, Hollyhocks, Gailardia, Centurea, Anchusa, etc., 2 yr. old, 25-50c.

Clematis Vines—25c. up as to size and kind.

Ampelopsis—Boston, English and American Ivy, 25c each; 5 for 1.00.

### HEMEROCALLIS DAY LILIES

Fulva—Large, single, orange, brown, strong, clumps, 25c. Smaller divisions, \$1.00 doz.

Quanso-Flora Plena-Double, orange, brown, 25c.

### IRIS-FLEUR DE LIS

For richness and variety of delicate colors and blending of colors there is no flower that equals them. Iris are growing more popular each year.

"S" means standard or upright petals. "F" means Falls or drooping petals.

Prices are for strong divisions or 1 year old clumps. Larger clumps at a larger price. Single divisions for propagating not less than 5 of a kind, at one-half price.

Named varieties, mixed, not labeled, 12 for \$1.50.

### 25c EACH FOR THE FOLLOWING

Florentina or Silver King-Early, white faintly flushed lavender.

Kochii-Black Prince, early, very dark purple.

Flavasence—Pale yellow, fine for massing. Sans Souci or Honorabilis—"S," lemon yellow; "F." yellow and chocolate brown.

Madam Chereau-"S" and "F," white frilled, deli-

cate blue, tall.

Purple King-Very large, tall, common purple. Pseud-Acoris-The English Yellow Flag, tall. Ochroluca Gigantea-White, with yellow throat,

very late and tall. The gold band iris.

Blue Siberian-And White Siberian.

Walhalla—"S" lavender; "F," wine red.
Velveteen or Hector—"S," soft, cloudy yellow; "F," velvety crimson black, veined blue and white.

Powhattan-"S," light bishop-violet with deeper border; "F." deep purple, shaded crimson, large, horizontal spreading flower.

Her Majesty-"S," lilac pink; "F," deep reddish

lilac with dark veins.

Queen of May-A lovely soft rose-lilac, almost pink.

Sherwin Wright-A bright golden-yellow. Vig-

Iris King-Its bright, clear colors make it one of the most popular Irises among the variegatas. "S," clear lemon-yellow; "F," rich maroon, bordered vellow.

Isoline-"S," lilac pink, tinged with buff; "F," purplish old rose. A grand distinct iris. Large stout textured flowers on tall stems. One of the most beautiful irises in the world.

Tinea-"S" and "F," deep blue, shaded lilac,

large, early.

Carthusian-"S," clear lavender-blue; "F," deeper. Violacea Grandiflora-"S," rich blue; "F," violet

Foster's Yellow-"S," and "F." creamy yellow. Blue Jay-"S," bright clear blue; "F," intense dark blue, 30 inch.

Trojana-"S," pale blue; "F," long, rich purple,

blue very large and fine.

Arnold-"S," smoky bronze; "F," rich velvety purple, large and handsome.

Juanita-"S," and "F," clear blue, very tall, large, fragrant blooms.

Ophelia-"S," white shaded and edged blue; "F,"

white frilled soft blue, tall.

Gypsy Queen (Syn. La Prestigieuse)-"S," old gold, shaded smoked pearl; "F," black maroon, reticulated light yellow; late bloomer, 2 ft.

Jaquesiana-"S," bright coppery crimson; "F,"

rich maroon.

Idion-"S," golden yellow; "F," golden yellow, veined brown.

Dr. Bernice-"S," coppery bronze; "F," velvety maroon.

Palida Dalmatica-"S," and "F," clear porcelain

blue, very large and fine.

Rhine Nixie-"S," pure white; "F," violet blue,

Perfection-"S," light blue; "F," dark violet black. Mithras-"S," bright yellow; "F," wine red, yellow edge.

Loreley-"S," light yellow; "F," ulteranian blue,

cream border, very attractive.

Lohengren-"S," and "F," uniform soft Cattleya

Monsignor-"S," rich satiny violet; "F," crimson, lighter margin; very fine.

Caprice-"S," silvery lilac; "F," mauve with or-

ange border, large and handsome.

Eldorado—"S," yellowish bronze, shaded helio-

trope; "F," bright purple and bronze.

Fairy-"S," ivory changing to pure white; "F." white with pale violet veining; very fragrant; dainty and very fine.

Nibelungen-"S," fawn yellow; "F," violet purple,

with fawn margin; very handsome.

Prosper Laugier-"S," light bronze red; "F," velvety ruby purple, with orange beard.

Mrs. Neubrumner-Clear, lemon yellow.

Nine Wells-"S," light violet; ",F" deep purple, white at base, very large and tall. 50c.

White Knight-"S," and "F," pure white, sweet scented, very large and fine. 50c.

A number of other kinds not listed, 25c. to \$1.00. Iris for bordering drives and walks at \$3.00 per hundred. Many colors, mixed. Single divisions.

### PEONIES

Peonies are acknowledged to be the finest and most popular, hardy flower grown, that blooms about Decoration Day. I have a large collection of varieties to select from including all types and colors of standard, medium priced peonies.

Plant from September 1 to April 1, the earlier the better. Plant in rich well drained soil, spade 18 inches deep, do not put fertilizer over the plants; plant with eyes 2 to 3 inches below the surface

of the ground.

The terms 2-3 eye, 3-7 eye; 7-10 eye divisions or 1 yr.; 2 yr.; and 3 yr. old clumps are as indefinite a description of the size of the plant offered, as a "piece of chalk;" it may be a large or very small one. My prices are for strong 3-7 eye divisions. This is the most popular size to plant. If planted in September, most of them will bloom in May. Larger clumps for sale at prices in proportion to size of plants wanted. Small plants, 5 or more, half price.

Young plants, and most plants, in a dry season, seldom develop normal blooms. The blooms are usually lacking in size, formation and in richness and in delicate colors. Definite conclusions and notes should not be made until after the 3rd to 4th year after planting. A well grown Peony bloom is always pretty. A president of the "American Peony Society" said: There are no really bad peonies." Soil and climatic conditions have a wonderful effect on the general appearance and behavior of the plant and bloom.

### 25c EACH FOR THE FOLLOWING

Princess Beatrice—Crown, outer and center petals deep rose, with creamy white center, very fine.

La Pearl-Large, late, pearly white free bloom-

ers, sometimes sold as La Tulippi.

Queen Victoria (Whitleyi)—White, a popular cut flower, profuse bloomer, good keeper.

San Foin—Large, compact, dark pink mid-season. Floral Treasure—Bright rose pink, early. Humei—Very large, deep rose pink, fine, late.

Rose Fragrance-Solferino red, medium size, tall

late, very sweet scented, profuse bloomers.

Golden Harvest—Pale lilac, rose and peach blossom, pink, creamy yellow center, changing lighter, very fine, mid-season.

Unnamed-Red, pink or white, 25c.

Japanese Red—Likely Mikado, single, dark red with large cushion in center, tipped old gold, fine in bud.

Pelissima Lilacina—Large, deep pink, good, early. Madame de Verneville—Large, extra fine, early

white, sweet scented, good bloomers.

The Moor (Barr)—Medium size, medium tall, vigorous grower, red color, almost as dark as Monsieur Martin Cahuzac. Single.

### EXTRA GOOD PEONIES—EACH 50c 2-3 eye size, half-price each.

Rubra Superba (Richardson)—Red. This variety should be in every collection, as it comes into bloom very late after most of the other reds are gone. The flowers are fragrant and do not show stamens. It is one of the best keepers of the late varieties. It is a shy bloomer, until the plants become well established.

Coronne de Orr-Very large, late white, creamy

white when first open.

Sarah Bernhardt (Lemoine 1906)—Semi-rose type; late mid-season. Very large flower of perfect form, full and double with twisted imbricated petals. Color apple blossom pink with each petal silver-tipped. Strong grower, free bloomer and very fragrant. One of the finest and most dependable Peonies ever produced, attracting attention in every garden.

Meissonier (Crousse 1886.) (Syn. American Beauty.)—Bomb type; midseason. Very brilliant crimson; full double flowers on stiff, wiry stems; the stems may sometimes have short crooks in them, but they are never weak. The coloring is wonderfully rich

and brilliant.

Model de Perfection-Large, early deep pink.

Eudulas Spherba—Early, mauve pink, tall, popular flower for Decoration Day.

Richard Carvel-This is not Brand's Richard Car-

vel, but similar in every respect, and is a large bright crimson flower; mid season; good bloomer.

Henri Demay-Bright red, large and profuse

bloomer. Very prolific, medium height.

Felix de Crousse-Large bright cherry red, considered by many growers as the best red.

Officinalis Tenifolia Flora Pleno-Double early red, fringed foliage. \$1.00.

Madam Emile Galle- Blush or lilac white, very

large, compact, late; one of my finest.

Marie Lemoine-Large, very compact; rose type. Pure white, with cream-white center, occasional carmine tip, fragrant, medium height extra strong stem, very late, extra good commercial variety.

La Tulipe-Blush white with red tulip-like markings on outside of guard petals, very beautiful, both in bud and open flower, large, tall, vigirous; midseason variety, sometimes called the "Pink Festiva Maxima."

Marguerite Gerard-Large, compact, flat shaped flower, pale hydrangea pink, center petals flecked dark carmine.

General Grant (Terry)-Medium size, medium compact, globular, bomb type, red, drooping, open habit, mid-season.

Albatre-Very large, compact, globular, rose type, milk white, shaded ivory, wide center petals tinged lilac, fragrant, very strong, vigorous, tall grower. very free bloomer, late, 75c.

Eugene Verdier-Very large, compact, typical rose type, pale hydrangea pink, outer guard petals lilac white, fragrant, very erect, with extra strong stems.

free bloomer, late. 50c.

Grover Cleveland (Terry)-Very large, compact, rose type, dark crimson, strong vigorous grower.

late, very good, \$1.00

Mons. Jules Elie-The king of peonies. Descriptions do not do it justice. The ideal, glossy, lilac pink with silvery reflex over entire bloom. Very beautiful. If you can have only one pink, get this as it is unexcelled. \$1.00.

Marechal Vaillant-Very large, compact, globular, rose type, dark mauve pink, tall heavy, coarse stem barely supporting the heavy bloom, late good

varieties. 50c.

L'Esperance—Early, large, fragrant, bright pink, extra fine, 50c.

La Tulip-Late, light shell pink, very fragrant

extra good, medium stems.

Mielke-One of the largest, late soft and delicate

pink, free bloomer, extra fine, \$1.00.

Karl Rosenfeld—Very large, globular, compact, seini-rose type. Dark crimson. Very strong, tall grower and free bloomer. Mid-season. A brilliant and striking variety, \$1.00.

Baroness Schroeder (Kelway)—A most delicate, light flesh pink bud, bleaching when open to white, extra large and massive. The true stock is very scarce and in great demand by those who have ever

Octavi Demany (Cal.)—Very large flat crown, guards and center pale hydranges pink, collar almost white, fragrant, dwarf habit, free bloomer.

seen it. The best of the English varieties, \$1.00.

very fine. 50c.

Duchesse De Nemours (Cal.)—Pure white crown, sulfur white collar, fragrant, vigorous grower, medium height, very free bloomer, mid-season extra good, 50c.

Grandiflora Rubra-Very large, compact, late,

dark pink, or Solferino red.

Prince of Darkness—One of the darkest, of the bright red peonies.

### EVERBLOOMING ROSES 50c. each, 12 for \$5.00

I have a splendid collection of over 15 varieties of the leading kinds and colors. They are 2 year old, field grown, and are as large and fine a lot of bushes as I ever saw. I have several kinds of climbing roses marked "Cl." Most everblooming roses should be protected from severe freezing.

The following is my list:

American Beauty, American Beauty, Cl., Bessie Brown, Columbia, F. K. Drulski, E'toile de France, J. L. Mock, Kaiserine Augusta Victoria, Luxemberg, La France, La Detroit, Lady Hillingdon, Los Angeles, Paul Scarlet, cl., Marshal Neal, cl., Crimson Rambler, cl., Columbia, cl., Gruss an Tepplitz, Crimson Baby Rambler, Red Radiance, Pink Radiance, Sunburst, and others.

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